



Docket No.: 4887P522

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

DON E. CURRY, ET AL.

Application No.: 09/828,067

Filed: April 6, 2001

For: A WAFER PROCESSING APPARATUS HAVING A CHAMBER WITH AN UPPER WALL HAVING GAS SUPPLY OPENINGS FORMED THEREIN WHICH PROMOTE MORE EVEN PROCESSING OF A WAFER

Art Group: 1763

Examiner: Rudy Zervigon

RECEIVED
MAY 12 2003
TC 1705

#S
5/13/03
mw

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants for the above-identified application respectfully Petition the Commissioner for a one (1) month extension of time, extending the period for response to May 06, 2003, from the Office Action dated January 06, 2003. The petition filing fee of \$110.00 and a Amendment and Response to Office Action are attached.

If it should be determined that a longer extension of time is required to prevent this application from being abandoned, please charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 02-2666. A copy of the Fee Transmittal is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

05/09/2003 HTECKLU1 00000089 09828067

01 FC:1251

110.00 0P

Respectfully submitted,

BLAKELY, SOKOLOFF, TAYLOR & ZAFMAN LLP

Tom Van Zandt

Tom Van Zandt, Reg. No. 43,219

Date: 5/5/03

12400 Wilshire Blvd., 7th Floor
Los Angeles, California 90025
Telephone: (408) 720-8300

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING/TRANSMISSION

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class mail with sufficient postage in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on: May 05, 2003.

Debra L. Riggio 5/5/03
Debra L. Riggio 05-05-03 Date